TEST AND MEASUREMENT LAB - TEST REPORT

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TEST TYPE: Developmental

FIREARM STAT'S: MODEL: XP100 CAL: 35REM &7MMBR

REASON FOR TEST:

To evaluate three alternate designs of Trigger Adjusting Screw/ Lock Nut Assemblies.

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:

15- XP100's

•	CONTROL	DEFORMED NUT	EXPERIMENTAL		
DRY CYCLE	6604 (7MM)	6172 (7MM)	5583 (7MM)		
	6577 (7MM)	6161 (7MM)	6042 (35REM)		
LIVE FIRE	6573 (7MM)	5605 (7MM)	5515(35REM)		
	5559 (35REM)	5867 (35REM)	6381 (7MM)		
	5892 (35REM)	2572 (35REM)	5604 (7MM)		

12000 rounds each 7MMBR & R35R2
Dry Cycle and Shooting Rooms
Deltronic DH30 optical comparator located in building 52-3 West.

TEST PROCEDURE:

GENERAL:

All sear engagement measurements were performed on the Deltronic DH30 optical comparator located in building 52-3 West.

DRY CYCLE:

A device was set up to cock and fire the XP-100 over an empty chamber. One control and one XP-100 with an experimental Link were used in the dry cycle phase. The sear engagement was measured before the dry cycle was started and at 500 cycle intervals up to 3000 cycles. Dry cycle testing continued from 3000 cycles to 10000 cycles, with sear engagement being measured every 1000 cycles.

LIVE FIRE:

Four control and four XP-100's with an experimental Link were used for the live fire endurance phase of the test. The control group and the experimental group each consisted of two 7MM BR caliber and two 35 REM caliber guns. Sear engagement was measured before shooting began and at 200 round intervals up to 1000 rounds. Endurance continued to 2000 rounds with measurements at 1500 and at 2000 rounds. All endurance shooting took place in the Research test lab shooting room located in building 52-1-A.

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TEST RESULTS:

DRY CYCLE:

Sear engagement measurements varied within an .008 inch band throughout the dry cycle test in both the control group and the test group. At no time throughout the test did sear engagement fall below the min. limit of .015 inch in any of the guns.

LIVE FIRE:

Sear engagement measurements varied within a .005 inch band throughout 2000 rounds of endurance shooting in both the control group and the test group. At no time throughout the test did sear engagement fall below the min. limit of .015 inches in any of the guns.

SEE ATTACHED DATA

XP-100 SEAR END	GAGEMEN	r - LIVE	FIRE	rest; A	AW DATA	TABLE			
SERIAL NO.				ROUNDS					
	0.0	. 2M	. 4M	. 6M	.BM	1.0M	1.5M	2.0M	
(DEFORMED NUT)									
#6161 (7mm)	0.0505	0.0189	0.0190	0.0214	0.0206	0.0215	0.0194	0.0209	
#5605 (7mm)	0.0179	0.0182	0.0215	0.0233	0.0259	0.0270	0.0271	0.0297	
#5867 (35REM)	0.0208	0.0212	0.0204	0.0224	0.0224	0.0219	0.0238	0.0235	
#2572 (35REM)	0.0212	0.0202	0.0214	0.0236	0.0236	0.0246	0.0229	0.0235	
(EXPERIMENTAL)									
#6381 (7mm)	0.0246	0.0225	0.0246	0.0250	0.0247	0.0250	0.0244	0.0241	
#5604 (7mm)	0.0186	0.0176	0.0177	0.0178	0.0187	0.0199	0.0203	0.0200	
#6042 (35REM)	0.0198	0.0186	0.0204	0.0205	0.0209	0.0211	0.0201	0.0213	
#5515 (35REM)	0.0170	0.0163	0.0166	0.0180	0.0194	0.0189	0.0194	0.0180	
(CONTROL)									
#6577 (7mm)	0.0194	0.0197	0.0206	0.0209	0.0208	0.0231	0.0220	0.0189	
#6573 (7mm)	0.0212	0.0176	0.0194	0.0221	0.0200	0.0208	0.0220	0.0207	
#5559 (35REM)	0.0184	0.0187	0.0187	0.0180	0.0194	0.0191	0.0190	0.0186	
#5892 (35REM)	0.0186	0.0196	0.0206	0.0201	0.0216	0.0225	0.0208	0.0217	
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